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Applicants : MEISER et al.

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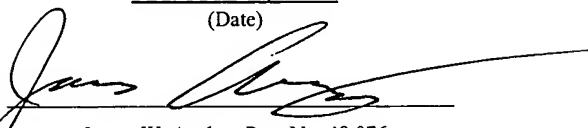
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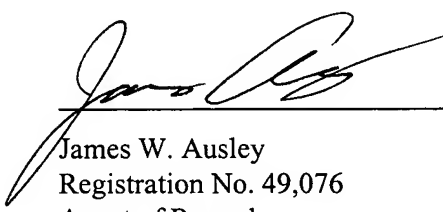
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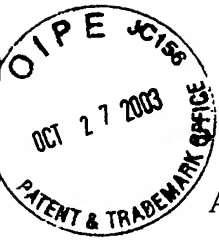
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- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement
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Respectfully submitted,

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EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)	
	1	"Double-Balloon Catheter for Isolated Liver Perfusion: An Experimental Study" by Cwikiel et al; CardioVascular and Interventional Radiology 24 (2001); pgs. 191-193
	2	"Quantitative Radionuclide Leakage Monitoring during Isolated Limb Perfusion" by Sprenger et al; NuklarMedizin 33 (1994); pgs. 248-253

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